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In the Application of )  
William H. Lange et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1732  
Title: METHOD OF FORMING A PTFE ) Examiner: Mark Eashoo  
INSULATION LAYER OVER A METALLIC )  
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 5, 2004 Applicants hereby elect to pursue in this application claims 1-16 and 18-28.

No fees or deficiencies in fees are believed to be owed. However, authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 13-0235 in the event any such fees are owed.

Respectfully submitted,

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